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Please find below and/or attached an Office communication concerning this application or proceeding.

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Interview Summary	Application No.	Applicant(s)	
	09/921,654	AMAR ET AL.	
	Examiner	Art Unit	
	Natalie A. Pass	3626	

All participants (applicant, applicant's representative, PTO personnel):

(1) Natalie A. Pass.

(3) C.L. Gilligan.

(2) Christopher Everett (Reg. No. 51659).

(4) J. Capraro (Reg. No. 36471).

Date of Interview: 04 December 2007.

Type: a) ☒ Telephonic b) ☐ Video Conference
c) ☐ Personal [copy given to: 1) ☐ applicant 2) ☐ applicant's representative]

Exhibit shown or demonstration conducted: d) ☐ Yes e) ☒ No.

If Yes, brief description: _____.

Claim(s) discussed: 1 in particular, all of record, in general.

Identification of prior art discussed: Burks, in particular, all of record, in general.

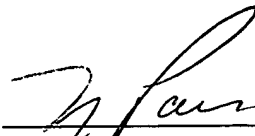
Agreement with respect to the claims f) ☐ was reached. g) ☐ was not reached. h) ☒ N/A.

Substance of Interview including description of the general nature of what was agreed to if an agreement was reached, or any other comments: See Continuation Sheet.

(A fuller description, if necessary, and a copy of the amendments which the examiner agreed would render the claims allowable, if available, must be attached. Also, where no copy of the amendments that would render the claims allowable is available, a summary thereof must be attached.)

THE FORMAL WRITTEN REPLY TO THE LAST OFFICE ACTION MUST INCLUDE THE SUBSTANCE OF THE INTERVIEW. (See MPEP Section 713.04). If a reply to the last Office action has already been filed, APPLICANT IS GIVEN A NON-EXTENDABLE PERIOD OF THE LONGER OF ONE MONTH OR THIRTY DAYS FROM THIS INTERVIEW DATE, OR THE MAILING DATE OF THIS INTERVIEW SUMMARY FORM, WHICHEVER IS LATER, TO FILE A STATEMENT OF THE SUBSTANCE OF THE INTERVIEW. See Summary of Record of Interview requirements on reverse side or on attached sheet.

Examiner Note: You must sign this form unless it is an Attachment to a signed Office action.



Examiner's signature, if required

Continuation of Substance of Interview including description of the general nature of what was agreed to if an agreement was reached, or any other comments:

Discussion revolved about clarification of the rejections set forth in the prior Office Action and suggestions for possible changes to the claim language that could help put the claim limitations in better condition for allowance or appeal.

The interview included discussion of the applied art and clarification of Applicant's invention, including a description, by Applicant, of proposed amendments to claim 1 and the proposed addition of claim 34. Applicant presented reasons that his invention differentiated itself over the applied Burks and Campbell references.

Examiner will reconsider the references in light of amendments made.

Applicant Initiated Interview Request Form

Application No.: 09/921,654 First Named Applicant: Amar
Examiner: Pas, N. Art Unit: 3626 Status of Application: Pending

Tentative Participants:

(1) Joseph Capore (2) Christopher E. Everett
(3) Dan Orenstein (4) _____

Proposed Date of Interview: Tuesday, Dec. 4 Proposed Time: 2:00 (AM/PM) (PM)

Type of Interview Requested:

(1) ☒ Telephonic (2) ☐ Personal (3) ☐ Video Conference

Exhibit To Be Shown or Demonstrated: ☐ YES ☒ NO
If yes, provide brief description: _____

Issues To Be Discussed

Issues (Rej., Obj., etc)	Claims/ Fig. #s	Prior Art	Discussed	Agreed	Not Agreed
(1) <u>Rej</u>	<u>1934</u>	<u>Bucks, Art Campbell, Berner</u>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
(2) _____	_____	_____	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
(3) _____	_____	_____	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
(4) _____	_____	_____	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
<input type="checkbox"/> Continuation Sheet Attached					

Brief Description of Arguments to be Presented:

Discuss cited art and proposed claim amendments

An interview was conducted on the above-identified application on _____.

NOTE: This form should be completed by applicant and submitted to the examiner in advance of the interview (see MPEP § 713.01).

This application will not be delayed from issue because of applicant's failure to submit a written record of this interview. Therefore, applicant is advised to file a statement of the substance of this interview (37 CFR 1.133(b)) as soon as possible.

Applicant/Applicant's Representative Signature

Christopher E. Everett
Typed/Printed Name of Applicant or Representative

51,659
Registration Number, if applicable

Examiner/SPE Signature

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